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In re Application of:

Terry Rayburn

Serial No.: 09/843,261

Filed: April 26, 2001

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MOBILE COMMUNICATIONS

Group Art Unit: 2683

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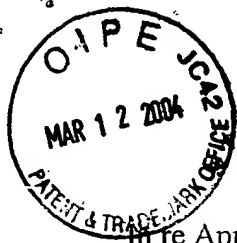
Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on January 2, 2004, please amend the application as follows and consider the following remarks/arguments.

Claim Amendments are reflected in the listing of the claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.

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 1. Amendment and Response to January 2, 2004 Office Action
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